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Subject: Air Activity

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1. Hydroplanes

In early April 1946, nine (Blanca-Vase) BV-136 hydroplanes and twenty (Dornier-Wall) DO-18 hydroplanes were recognized in the Bay of Odessa. Close by on the shore were three hangars and attached, two launching sites. One DO-18 was observed circling over the bay, and from the sound, the motor was identified as the JWD-205 Diesel type.

2. Fighter Planes

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In April-May 1946, from ten to twelve TANK-152\* fighter planes were observed daily circling over the northern part of the city of Odessa. ([redacted] [redacted] named after Professor Tank! of Feche-Wulff Berlin, Germany.) The sound of the motor was that of the (Dornier-Boss) MB-605. It is reported that these planes were built by Feche-Wulff in 1943 and that series-production commenced in November-December 1944.

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